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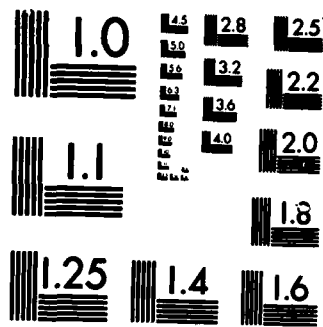
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1. John Stanley Marcus, Ph.D. December 1982, AMCOR Industries, Inc.,  
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## TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION OF RESEARCH COMPLETED

### 61. Discovery of a Non-Propagating Self-trapped Hydrodynamic Soliton.

We have discovered a hydrodynamic soliton which is trapped by its own unique properties. Theory and experiment are in excellent agreement.

### 62. Sound Propagation in Superfluid Helium with Partially Locked Normal Component: The Absorption and Dispersion of Scattered Sound.

When the normal component of superfluid helium is progressively locked by increasing the flow resistance of the superleak first sound becomes fourth sound and second sound becomes a non-propagating diffusive wave. The absorption and dispersion which accompany these transitions was studied experimentally and theoretically and good agreement is found. Multiple scattering occurs when fluid or fourth sound propagates in a superleak, and such systems offer an ideal opportunity to test scattering theories (Publ. 82). This is Steve Baker's Ph.D. thesis. We should be issuing a Technical Report in three or four months.

## NOTES ON TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION OF RESEARCH COMPLETED

Item 50 in the Research Completed list is treated in publications 80 and 83.

Item 52 in Research Completed list is further developed in publications 87 and 88.

Items 35 and 38 in Research Completed list contains a description of an annulus partially packed with superleak and containing superfluid helium. This system has proved to have considerable utility and has been used to study persistent currents in bulk helium (Publ. 35), the trapping of persistent currents in superleaks (Publ. 38), persistent currents in films (Publ. 51). The theory of the acoustic modes of this system is developed in Publications 38, 41 and 79. Publication 79 has the most exact result.

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